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DECLARATION FOR PATENT APPLICATION

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

I believe the named inventor(s) to be the original and first inventor(s) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

METHODS FOR REDUCING FLUORESCENCE IN PULP AND PAPER

the specification of which:

☐ is attached hereto;

☒ was filed on March 3, 2004, as U.S. Application No. 10/792,023, Confirmation No. 1360, bearing attorney docket No. M0723.70001US00.

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to the examination of this application in accordance with Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, §1.56.

The undersigned hereby appoints the following attorney(s) and/or agent(s) to prosecute this application and all related divisional, continuing, substitute, renewal, reissue, re-exam, and to conduct all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith:

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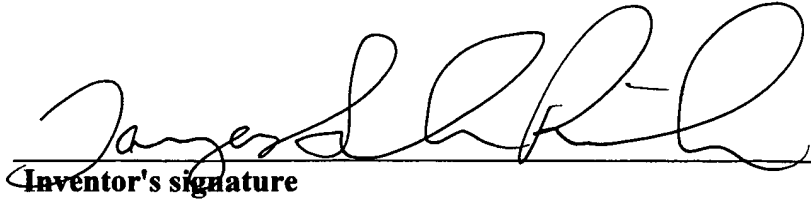
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